

**House of Student Representatives
99th Session
Texas Christian University**

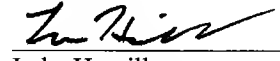
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Introduced By:

Student Body Officers*

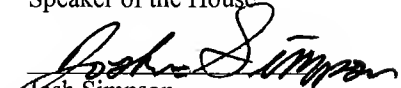
Action Taken: Passed

Certified By:


Luke Harville
Speaker of the House

Date: 01/29/2013

Duly Approved:


Josh Simpson
Student Body President

1 **“A Bill to Foster Direct Communication with Students”**

2 Whereas: Currently, no forum exists in House for members of the Student Body to
3 speak openly about any topic, and

4 Whereas: During the Fall Semester of the 99th session, some students were confused
5 by House rules, and

6 Whereas: Students should be able to speak directly to House, and

7 Whereas: Open communication is paramount to a thriving Student Body and SGA,
8 therefore

9 Let it be enacted by the House of Student Representatives at Texas Christian University:

10 (1) Amend SBC Title 2 §806 (a): “Speakers Forum: 5 minutes per speaker; during
11 this time any member of the student body may speak to any topic relevant to
12 TCU in keeping with decorum, as judged by the acting parliamentary; speakers
13 may engage informally in dialogue with members of SGA; Speakers Forum shall
14 last in total no longer than 15 minutes;”

15 (2) Amend SBC Title 2 §806 (b): “Student Body Officer Reports: 5 minutes per
16 speaker;”

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18 CC: SGA Cabinet, Dr. Mike Russel, Dr. Kathy Cavins-Tull, Samantha Ehlinger